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AMERICAN WAR EXPEDITIONS.

Shafter Landing Troops-- Will Attack on Friday.

Cervera Watching for Opportunity to Escape Blockade to be Extended in South Cuba.

ALL OF TODAY'S NEWS.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Gen. Shafter's report to Secretary Alger, said forty-eight hours would be consumed in debarkation, and that base would be established and operations begun Friday.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—10:45. The war department has received a message from Shafter telling of conferences with Garcia and plans for landing. The troops said to be now debarking.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—No word during the night from Sampson or Shafter. As the cable to Guantanamo is known to be working this is construed to mean "nothing to report."

KEY WEST, June 22.—A vessel from the Havana blockade says all is quiet, but the Spanish are constructing new fortifications with great energy.

SANTIAGO, June 22.—It is understood here that Cervera's plan is to dash out of the harbor on the first stormy night.

PORT AU PRINCE, July 22.—No news of warlike movements were obtainable here this morning.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The President will soon issue a proclamation extending blockade to include South Cuba, thus stopping provisions going in by way of Isle of Pines.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—The State Department does not believe it is true, as reported, that Germany has proposed to purchase from Spain the privilege of protectorate over the Philippines. It would be an act of war by Germany against the United States.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Quartermaster Long wired the War Department that the next expedition to Manila will sail Monday, June 27th, and consist of six ships. (The City of Puebla, just arrived at San Francisco, will be turned over to the Government tomorrow and if possible fitted in time to meet the expedition at Honolulu.)

The Government has decided that the next expedition to Manila, which sails from San Francisco next Monday, shall consist of 6000.

Brigadier-General G. V. Henry has been assigned to command of a division sent to reinforce General Shafter. Brigadier-Generals Garretson and Duffield will sail with brigades from Newport News at once.

Major W. B. Schofield, additional paymaster, has been ordered to San Francisco.

MADRID, June 22.—Newspapers here deny that the Queen Regent intends to abdicate.

NEW YORK, June 22.—The Pruisimo Concepcion with Blanco's supplies and provisions is now at Tunas, west of Santiago, having eluded Yankee and Yosemite, which went to capture her.

WASHINGTON, June 22.—Surgeon-General Van Reypen of the navy has received a full report from surgeon with Sampson, who cared for dead and wounded participants in Guantanamo fight. Its important feature is statement that corpses were not mutilated, but the severe

wounds attributed to mutilation were result of Mauser rifle balls.

NEW YORK, June 22.—Dispatch from Santiago June 20 via Kingston today, says: Cubans have brought information to Sampson that Cervera is prepared to make a desperate attempt to take his ships out of harbor first favorable opportunity. His ships are coaled and crews are refused shore leave. Every night vessels drop down bay awaiting chance to dash past blockade. Spanish Admiral hopes to save portion of ships from capture and sink some of American craft.

COLUMBUS, Ohio, June 22.—Republican State Convention in session here today, nominated Charles Kinney for Secretary of State; W. T. Spear, Supreme Judge; Josiah B. Allen, Clerk Supreme Court.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., June 22.—Democratic State Convention convened here today. U. S. Senator Turpie presiding.

LITTLE ROCK, Ark., June 22.—The State Democratic Convention is in session here. It is expected that Governor Jones will be nominated by acclamation.

A Prominent Wedding.

The wedding of Mr. Benjamin Weed, of Berkeley, and Eva Carolina Gundlach, of San Francisco, was solemnized yesterday at San Francisco. An elaborate account of the event was prepared, but owing to scarcity of room will appear tomorrow.

Something That All Can Assist In.

Donations That Are Acceptable at the Headquarters.

The friends of the Red Cross are requested to send to their headquarters, Hinkle block, 2215 Shattuck avenue, Berkeley, donations of home made bread, biscuits, cake, jelly, preserves, fruits, or other saleable articles, to be sold for the benefit of the society.

The public is asked to remember our needs and buy from us.

A New Director Named.

John Garber has tendered his resignation as a Director of the Deaf and Dumb and the Blind Asylum. It does not appear that Mr. Garber is dissatisfied with the manner in which the institution is conducted. The only reason assigned for his retirement from service on the Board is a desire to be relieved from the duties of the position.

It is rumored that Whitney Palache, who is related by marriage to Mr. Garber, will be appointed by Governor Budd to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation. The story goes that Mr. Palache has been recommended for the place by the retiring Director.

A Noted Visitor.

The Hon. Ellis H. Roberts, who was a classmate of President Martin Kellogg at Yale, visited our University yesterday. Mr. Roberts is here from the East on a pleasure trip. Last Saturday a luncheon was given in his honor by President Kellogg.

A High Honor.

George William Bauer, an honor graduate of the University of California, class of '96, is one of the three Californians selected by the President to undergo an examination for a second lieutenancy in the regular army.

Dr. W. E. Trueblood will give especial attention to chronic diseases. Office and residence in Bailey Block.

Scarcity of Water.

The Matter of Importance to South Berkeley.

Patrons of the Contra Costa system are again using the water with much more discretion than is customary in seasons of a plentitude of the diurnal visitations of Jupiter Pluvius. Every warm day the Oakland demand for the desirable fluid makes it impossible to get a superabundant supply in the South Berkeley region, and not even a sufficient quantity for culinary and domestic purposes is available at periods of the day.

There should be a more equitable distribution of the water to patrons at South Berkeley, and the present scarcity does not insure the fullest protection of personal property and besides is a source of annoyance. If it were not for the abundance of good nature prevailing among the South Berkeleysans we prophesy some unpleasantness might develop, since the interests of all citizens are not best represented in this condition.

Changes in the University Faculty Announced.

The following list of promotions of professors and instructors in the faculty of the University of California were announced today from the office of the President, Martin Kellogg:

Associate Professor Seiger of the German department, promoted from an assistant professorship; associate professor T. P. Bailey of the department of pedagogy, promoted from an assistant professorship; associate professor L. J. Richardson, promoted from an instructorship; assistant professor C. L. Cory of the electrical department of mechanical engineering, promoted from an assistant professorship; assistant professor A. O. Leuschner, in charge of the students' observatory, has received the degree of Ph.D., after a year's study in Berlin; instructor H. C. Nutting, transferred from the Greek department to the Latin, with the exception of Sanskrit; instructor J. T. Allen appointed instructor in Greek and classical archaeology; he has spent the last year in graduate study at Yale. Instructor H. M. Hopkins appointed instructor in Latin; he received the degree of Ph.D. at Harvard and was formerly a teacher in Cheltenham Academy. Associate Professor W. E. Ritter of the zoology department is promoted from an assistant professorship.

The Salvation Army.

Mercy Box Agents Present Their Work.

There will be a special meeting of the Salvation Army this evening, the occasion being a visit from the Mercy Box agent, Adjutant Brewer. Beside an account of the Mercy Box work the Adjutant will give several selections with his phonograph. The local branch will hold meetings but once a week during the encampment at Trestle Glenn, which commences June 30. Berkeley citizens should seek to co-operate in all good enterprises undertaken by the army.

Delinquent Taxes.

Mr. John Squires, the Town Treasurer, wishes it announced that the mortgage tax does not include the regular tax, as many property owners are inclined to believe. On account of this error many pieces of property are sold every year, according to law, causing the owner much trouble.

Over 3000 Articles 3c Upwards will be displayed on sale at Schellhaas' Old Store, 408 Eleventh street, Oakland.

MEETINGS OF THE FIREMEN.

The North Berkeley Company Elects Officers.

Committees Selected for the Alert Company's Dance—A Day Time Expected.

The North Berkeley Fire Company held their regular meeting last night and it was also the occasion for the nomination and election of officers for the ensuing term. Mr. Frank Richards was elected temporary chairman in the absence of the President, W. J. Murphy, while Jack Lloyd was appointed temporary secretary for William Dunn, who has enlisted.

After the regular routine business the nominations of officers were made with the following results: President, A. L. Ott; Vice President, Frank Richards; Treasurer, Harry J. Squires; Financial Secretary, W. K. Wier; Recording Secretary, Jack Lloyd; Foreman, Ed Florence; Sergeant-at-Arms, George Creed.

As the nominations were all unanimous the election was held by acclamation.

North Berkeley should congratulate herself upon having such prominent and respected citizens at the head of her fire company. The company, realizing the ability of their foreman, elected Mr. Florence for the third time to that office.

Upon motion the president appointed John Striker, Ed Florence, John Hampton and Gerald Kenny to complete arrangements for a farewell reception, which is to be given a member of the company who recently enlisted.

THE ALERT COMPANY.

The Alert Company, No. 3, held their regular meeting last evening. A special meeting was called for Thursday evening, when several committees will report upon the dance to be held Saturday evening, the 25th. All members of the Company are requested to be present and an invitation was extended to the chief, James Kenny.

The names of Henry S. Brown and Richard Rob were added to the list of members. President Bush appointed the following committees for the dance:

Reception Committee—George Woodsum, A. Brandes and Fred Lockyer.
Floor Committee—Louis Bush, George T. Bush and Carl Martens.
Floor Managers—Ben F. Calhoun and Henry Brown.
Door Committee—John Thompson and George Horgan.

COLUMBIA COMPANY.

The meeting was called to order by President J. D. Ray. Mr. August Vollmer, who has enlisted in the army, tendered his resignation as a member of the Company, and as financial secretary. The resignation was accepted with regrets, and Dave Sherman was elected to fill his place.

The foreman, Dan Madden, reported that the aluminum hats ordered by the Company would arrive in a short time. The committee who had charge of the smoker recently given by the Company were discharged with a vote of thanks and were congratulated upon the manner in which the program was carried out. The committee consisted of August Vollmer and John Armstrong.

FOUND—A Shot Gun, on Shattuck avenue. Owner can have same by proving his claim at Felton and Calais. E. CARLSON.

A Mania for Matches.

A Serious Disaster Diverted by Judicious Actions.

The neighborhood of Ashby and Shattuck avenues is universally known as a peaceful and law-abiding one, but there are occasions in which the most docile and peaceful will cause the same community to appear a pandemonium of noise, and the cause, which alone was contributory to such a sudden transformation in these peaceful quarters was the announcement of "fire," which rang through the suburban stillness at 1:30 yesterday afternoon. The upper portion of the building occupied by the Ashby market, whose proprietor is Mr. D. J. Keane, bears the marks of the destructive influences of the little blaze which was the result of a small boy's playing with matches.

Mr. Dan Keane's noon lunch was interrupted by the observation of a blaze in the adjoining room, and upon investigation found that a juvenile member had injudiciously played with matches among the lace curtains.

At once the flames crept up the wall and ignited everything in reach, and was it not for the timely appearance of Dan Keane, who applied water with vigor, the upper portion of the tenement, occupied by Mr. Keane, would have been enveloped in flames. The damage was trivial, and a few repairs, amounting to perhaps \$25, will cover the cost.

Joining the Procession.

Property owners on Shattuck avenue near Dwight way are to be commended on their efforts to keep abreast with the times and the spirit of enterprise now extant in Berkeley. The old dilapidated sidewalk abutting the Bailey Block has been removed preparatory to adding a new cement one, and the business enterprises represented in this achievement deserve commendation for the attempts to discard the patchwork sidewalk which has been a menace to the public. Material is now at the place designated and a large corps of men will hurry to completion the work, so that passengers at the Southern Pacific waiting-room and customers to the various stores and shops may not be disturbed.

University Cadets Commissioned.

Commissions have been issued to the following officers of the University Cadets: Colonel, M. Dozier Jr., lieutenant colonel, L. H. Miller; majors, V. H. Craig and R. R. Thayer; captains, A. N. George, H. F. Peart, F. W. Stadtmuller, L. F. Wagner, A. L. Giacomini, J. E. Rainey, C. Wignmore, S. V. West, J. W. Hillar, A. B. Anderson, H. C. Harmon and R. Bakewell; first lieutenants, D. Baird, H. B. Budd, P. D. Eastman, F. T. Mumma, S. S. Sargentich, L. S. Schmitt and A. D. Sweet; second lieutenants, H. J. Friedlander.

Stoves and Ranges.

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Preparing to Accept the New Home.

Beacon Company Energetically at Work—Officers Elected.

At the recent meeting of the Beacon Fire Company in their club rooms at West Berkeley on Monday night, the final arrangements were made by the company to accept the new fire house, which is now emerging forth from the hands of the painters.

The new edifice is now appearing in a handsome new dress of the most beautiful tints to be chosen from a host of colors obtainable. This object of universal admiration is wearing a coat of red, nicely polished with white trimmings.

A committee was appointed to prosecute the excellent work mapped out and the time for this celebration in which the public of West Berkeley public are deeply interested, will be on the 9th of July, at which time a program will be presented, worthy of liberal patronage.

The Entertainment committee, who know the desires of the Beacon boys, are preparing a Grand Smoker to be "puffed" on the first Saturday night after the formal acceptance of their new, commodious quarters. The event will transpire at Sistrina Hall.

The regular routine business of the Company was transacted subsequent to discussion of the coming attractions, and the following officers are to represent the official capacity of the Company: president J. Hamilton, vice president, John Egan; treasurer, P. Nickelmann; financial and recording secretary, Otto Niehaus, Jr.; sergeant-at-arms, J. Battersbee; foreman, William Davis; a assistant foreman, Frank Tague.

Mr. Davis, one of the most active members in the company, to whom the plumbing work in the new building has been awarded, was re-elected to that position, which he has so faithfully filled for some time past.

The company will arrange for another exhibition at their gymnasium rooms in the near future, and Mr. Baker, who will participate, is training at the clubrooms, and many admirers are watching developments of the proposed exhibition.

Preparing the Census Report.

Dr. Carl C. Plehn, associate professor of history and political economy in the University of California, is preparing an essay upon the statistics of wealth, public debt and taxation contained in the eleventh United States census report.

The object of the work is to outline suggestions for the ground to be covered by the census report for 1900. It is undertaken at the request of the American Economic Association, and will be published with other essays in a volume to be issued by the association on "The Scope and Method of the Twelfth Census."

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The war tax on telegraph messages ought to have included an extra tariff on news which is not news.

Blanco will recognize no flag of truce, he says. But suppose Blanco should get shot in the leg again and his friends retreat for shelter, would Blanco want to sue or be sued?

The Berkeley Gazette has changed hands, says the Citograph, changed time of publication from morning to evening and also changed its typographical appearance. And every one of these changes is a change for the better.

The Hawaiian Government to the Spanish Consul-General, who protested against United States ships having coaling and provision privileges at Honolulu. "We are the friends of the United States; the interests of the two countries are closely allied; we have not declared neutrality and do not propose to do so." That ought to be understood.

The Alameda Encinal has given notice that it will collect a rate for notices of entertainments where admission fees are charged. This is getting to be a very general practice with newspapers, and it is certainly not unreasonable. Space in newspapers allotted to business is one of the publisher's means of support just as much as the grocer's stock on his shelves; but there are people who don't think so.

A man named Grover Cleveland came to the surface at Princeton, N. J., yesterday, and addressed a school on "Good Citizenship." This obscure individual took occasion to criticize the policy of the administration on its foreign policy. This man ought to remember, or know, that if the predecessor of William McKinley had attended to his business and duty the present foreign complications would have been forestalled. Silence from Grover is preferable just now.

The Alameda Water Company is mailing notices to water consumers, at the suggestion of town officials, forbidding use of water for irrigation, and unnecessary sprinkling of sidewalks. It has been said that corporations have no souls, and some may not; but some of them have water, and so far as most people in Berkeley are concerned that will answer the purpose in the case of the Alameda company. The greatest trouble about it is to keep a little water on hand. Every man, woman and child wants their share and if the hydrant is large enough they are sure to get it. The family or individual that only uses just what water is needed will be voted a pension as soon as their discovery is made. It is the history of water systems that it requires almost as much water for waste as for actual needs, hence a system must calculate on a large supply even for small communities. If the water can be used judiciously in Berkeley there need not be a water famine, and every citizen should do his part just now to prevent it.

SUPERIORITY OF CALIFORNIA
MEN.

Various writers and military authorities have expressed their opinions in regard to the fitness and advisability of sending as many of the forces intended for the expeditions to Manila as possible from California.

The points in favor of such a course of action are that many of the enlistments from this State are of native-born Californians who are accustomed to this climate, which is quite similar to that of the Philippines. Another point for this preference is that the recruits from California are more accessible than those of more remote quarters.

A call from the President made it possible for many of those who previously desired to enlist to do so.

In addition to calling for twelve new companies, it is also ordered that the commands now in the field shall be fully recruited to the strength of 106 men.

It is possible to get the new regiments ready before the transports are in condition to carry them, and when the new companies are added to this regiment California will have three regiments and four battalions in the service of the government.

When the fact is considered that it seems probable that several companies now at Camp Merritt will not be called to make up the third expedition, it seems as though the California volunteers will have a fair chance of being a part of the proposed third expedition, which is an additional honor to the citizens of the Golden West.

COUPON BONDS.

A coupon bond is payable to the bearer. It may be bought and sold without formality as freely as any kind of property and without endorsements of any kind. Owing to the freedom of transfer, coupon bonds are usually preferred by persons who expect to hold them but a short time. Their disadvantage for the person who wishes to make a permanent investment lies in the danger that they might be lost or stolen; in which case the loss to the owner would be as complete as would be the loss of a bank note. The coupon bonds take their name from the method by which interest is collected by the holder.

The coupons are payable at any sub-treasury, and may be collected through any bank, and will usually be accepted by any merchant having a bank account with whom the holder of the bond has dealings. The holder of a coupon bond may at any time have it converted into a registered bond free of charge.

RECKLESS SHOOTING.

The Vallejo Chronicle of the 20th instant has the following, which reads a little exciting:

"The promiscuous and reckless discharge of firearms in the vicinity of Berkeley just as the homeward bound Vallejo passengers passed came very nearly resulting in a serious accident Sunday night. As it was there was considerable excitement in the smoker, and several parties who had seats near the car window broken by rifle bullets, were congratulating themselves on their narrow escape.

"The railroad company should make a careful inquiry and try to ascertain who the guilty parties are, and if found a suitable punishment should be meted out to the culprit, as it is not their fault that somebody was not made a proper subject for the coroner's attention."

AIM STRAIGHT!

Let public opinion aim straight at every senator who dares to line up behind White and Pettigrew in order to block at any cost a measure which a majority of both Houses of Congress favor, and the administration urges as an indispensable requirement of the military situation.

Let public opinion aim straight, likewise, at any senator who waffles or wavers, or prefers his personal comfort to the interests of the flag, or by running away from the thermometer lends aid to Pettigrew

and White, and their small gang of reckless, scheming, unpatriotic obstructionists.—New York Sun.

A Prescription.

"Doctor," said the man who worries about his health, "when symptoms of sluggishness assert themselves, in a season like this, what is a good thing to take?"

And the physician, who is sometimes absent-minded but always patriotic, answered with emphasis: "Havana!"

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(Present Incumbent)
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Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.**THOS. M. ROBINSON**
Announces himself a Candidate for**TAX COLLECTOR**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.**ARTHUR W. FIEDLER,**
(OF LIVERMORE)
—CANDIDATE FOR THE OFFICE OF—**County Treasurer**
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.**H. W. LYNCH,**
(OF CENTERVILLE)
—CANDIDATE FOR—**Superintendent of Schools**
Subject to the decision of the Republican Convention.**S. D. WATERMAN**
PRINCIPAL OF BERKELEY HIGH SCHOOL
—Candidate for—**Superintendent of Schools**
(Alameda County)
Subject to the decision of the Republican County Convention.**FRANK C. JORDAN,**
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GENTLEMEN: We the undersigned, employees of the Oakland Consolidated Street Railroad Company, having heard through the press and other sources that our former Superintendent, Mr. A. K. Grim, is a candidate for County Recorder of this county, and we as employees having had long experience with him as Superintendent of the Grove street division of said Consolidated Street Railroad Company, and having confidence in his integrity and ability, and believing that the stand taken by him while Superintendent of said road in behalf of labor should entitle him to the unanimous support of the people of this county, we hereby recommend him to the voters of this county for the office of Recorder, and we hereby request the voters of said township to use every fair effort within their power to secure the election of a delegation to the next Republican County Convention favorable to Mr. A. K. Grim for said office.

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International News & Book Company, of Baltimore, Md., offer \$200.00 for selling 200 copies of "Story of Spain and Cuba," the greatest selling book of the century; complete to date; full account of the explosion of the "Maine"; all about Spain and Cuba and War; 150 magnificent pictures; 500 pages; retail only \$1.50. One agent sold it in one day; another made \$15 in one hour. Most liberal terms; freight paid; credit given; outfit free. Send 25 cents for postage and packing. Write them immediately. Agents also wanted for the authorized life of Frances Willard, by Anna Gordon; most liberal terms.

POSTOFFICE IN CUBA.

TO BE ESTABLISHED AS SOON AS A LANDING IS MADE.

United States Mail Bag to Follow the Flag. Connection With Insurgent Postal System Will Be Made Later—How Letters Are Sent to Soldiers and Sailors.

The war, with the consequent military and naval movements along the south Atlantic coast, has resulted in materially increasing the work of the postal officials throughout the south. The postoffice department is keeping step, figuratively speaking, with the war department and the navy department.

Wherever the United States flag goes the mail sack follows apace. Preparations have been completed for establishing a United States postoffice upon Cuban soil as soon as the first landing of regular troops is made or the first port is seized by the fleets for permanent occupation. Mr. Eben Brewer has been designated by the postmaster general to take charge of the new postoffice, with a force of clerks, hang out his shingle designating the office and proceed at once to handling mail.

It will be the first time this government has located a postoffice upon foreign soil. As the United States armies advance the service will be extended, and when the occasion demands it regular post routes will be established. In Cuba and Uncle Sam's mail carrier will go upon his daily rounds. It will be no international arrangement at the outset, but will be conducted solely under the auspices of our own postoffice department. As progress is made in the conquering of Cuba connection will be made with the postal system which is now maintained by the insurgents in the regions under their control, so that a letter posted in New York or San Francisco will go safely and speedily to its destination in the interior of Cuba.

At present connection is made with the ships of the blockading fleet and flying squadron from the coast towns. Letters addressed to the officers and men of the fleets mailed at points north or east of Washington are now carried south in the through postal cars. The department operates a railway mail service from Springfield, Mass., to Tampa, Fla., on a quick schedule. The postal car starts from Springfield and picks up the sacks at the cities and towns along the line. At Washington another car, if necessary, is attached to the train, and a crew of mail clerks carry it through to Charleston without relay, where another crew takes hold.

The through sacks from the north are made up, sealed and stacked in one end of the car, not to be opened until their destination is reached. In the car which is attached at Washington, open sacks are placed, and at every postoffice the mail is taken aboard the floor. The letters for the way stations are assorted in the cases and made up into bundles to be sacked and thrown off as directed, while those for the fleet, the armies or residents of Florida towns are distributed in the proper sacks.

When Tampa is reached, if that is the nearest port to the vessel to which the mail is going, the postmaster segregates the mail for the officers and sailors and makes it up into other sacks, to await the arrival of the official dispatch boat from the ship, which puts it at convenient opportunities. A great deal of mail goes to Key West for Admiral Sampson's fleet and Commodore Soley's squadron, where it is sent out by the local postmaster to the fleets and delivered by the dispatch boats to the proper officers of each ship, who attend to the distribution of the letters.

The mail for the armies at Tampa goes south in the same way. The pouches are delivered to the postmaster, and the army officials must apply to him for the mail. Great care is exercised in the handling of the mail after it leaves the postoffice at Tampa. Special messengers are detailed by each commanding officer to get the mail for the troops, in particular localities, and they transport it to the camps, where it is kept in a safe place, at which the soldiers call and get their letters. The mail for Chickamauga passes through Washington, but goes out on another road.

Since the outbreak of the war no mail has gone to Cuba or come out of the island to the United States. No postal communication will be established until our troops are landed. It is not proposed to establish any system of espionage over the mails going to the fleets or to Cuba when communication is opened with the island. The sacredness of the seal of an envelope bearing the United States postage stamp will be scrupulously observed. As much care will be taken in the delivery of the missing as if it were addressed to a peaceful resident of a city of the republic.

At this particular juncture the postoffice department is maintaining considerable reserve as to the destination of the mails. This is for the purpose of concealing the possible whereabouts of vessels of the fleet, which might be divulged through undue publicity of the movements of the mails.—New York Sun.

Shield For Riflemen.

A man from Prince William county, Va., who bears the classic name of Edmund Berkeley, has invented a shield for riflemen and a protection for skirmishers. It is built of steel in the shape of a funnel. The sharpshooter or skirmisher lies on the ground with his head and body protected by the funnel and thrusts his gun through a tube. The only drawback about this contrivance is the difficulty of carrying the funnel around.—Chicago Record.

A \$20 Lamp for 35 Cents

at the old store of H. Sobellhaas, 408 Eleventh street, Oakland.

EQUIPPING ARMY MULES.

Packing Is a Science, and the Man Who Is an Expert Can Make Money.

Packers are engaged in sorting out mules for their use and fitting the pack furniture. Most of the mules will be fitted with the Mexican apurejo, which is to be preferred to the saddle with "tree and sawbuck." It consists first of two or more thick felt blankets, folded large enough to nearly cover the mule from shoulder to rump. Over this is placed a huge pair of leather bags united by a broad band of the same material, the cavities stuffed with soft hay. This is girthed to the mule by a cinch nearly a foot in width, which is drawn as tightly as possible by a strong man pulling with both hands and with a foot against the animal's ribs to give him a greater purchase. On each side of the spine the articles to be carried are placed and lashed by a rope about 50 feet in length, which has at one end a broad webbing belt to pass under the belly as was done with the others. Another "squeezing" is given, and the rope is crossed in different directions over the load, tightened at every crossing and finally fastened in a knot loosened by one pull.

"Packing" is a science and as such commands good wages. "I have known a 'chief packer' to be paid a salary of \$150 per month on the frontier, and his services were worth the money paid. The duty is taught to cavalrymen as part of their drill, and many of the soldiers become very expert in it. At a pack drill of the Ninth cavalry a few days before it left Montana one company packed its mules in 1 minute and 54 seconds, and others were but little slower.

Thirty mules generally constitute a "train," and are managed by three men. They are trained to follow a bell, worn by a horse, which preferred, as being more readily seen. They are not confined in any way except when first put into the train. Then any straying from it is punished very severely. Each man with the train carries a diamond-shaped leather blind with feather cords attached to the ends and knotted together. If a pack becomes disarranged, two of the men lead the mule out of the trail, blindfold him with this blind, rearrange his load, remove the leather and allow him to rejoin his fellows. He is never struck when started, and pack mules are never misused by good packers.—Boston Journal.

In Suspense.

Those soldier boys who have traded their buttons for bouquets and are depending on safety pins until camp is reached can put in a requisition for a new supply of buttons on the ground that the others were lost in honorable engagements.—New York Press.

It Will Not Save His Head.

Another authentic report from Madrid brings the news that the boy king has had his hair cut, but the censor does not permit us to learn whether the scheme is to fit his crown or save his hair.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

The Tallest Volunteer.

The First Arkansas claims to have the biggest man in the whole volunteer army at Chickamauga. He is Frank Wynne of Hillsboro, Ark., a private in Company M, and stands 6 feet 5 inches in his stocking feet.—Memphis Commercial Appeal.

Will Do It With a Dash.

Disguising our old friend Christopher Columbus under the name of Cristobal Colon won't prevent our putting a full stop to that warship's career.—Philadelphia Times.

More powder has been burned in the San Juan bombardment and the occasional small engagements along the Cuban coast than has been consumed for saluting purposes since the civil war.



The woman who is weak, nervous, tired and exhausted; who has a poor and variable appetite and no strength or nerve; who suffers from pains and aches, dragging down and burning sensations; and who recognizes herself in the above description, that she has become irritable, cross, blue and despondent, is in almost every case suffering from weakness and disease of the delicate and important organs that bear the burden of maternity. Thousands of women suffer in this way and do not recognize the cause, or if they do understand their condition, neglect it rather than submit to the obnoxious examinations and local treatment insisted upon by the average physician. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is a wonderful medicine for women who suffer in this way. It does away with the necessity of those trying ordeals, and may be used in the privacy of the home. It acts directly on the delicate organs concerned, and makes them strong, vigorous and healthy. It banishes the discomforts of the expectant period and makes baby's advent easy and almost painless. It transforms weak, nervous, peevish invalids into happy wives and mothers. Thousands of women have testified, over their own signatures, to this fact. The "Favorite Prescription" may be procured from any good medicine dealer. Any woman who will write to Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N.Y., may have the advice of an eminent and skillful specialist without charge.

Mrs. Cora M. McLaurin, of Rockport, Conn., Miss. writes: "I had displacement and inflammation of the uterus. I was under the treatment of our family physician for a long time, but received no benefit. I had frequent urinal discharges with ulceration and enlargement. I commenced using Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, 'Golden Medical Discovery,' Pleasant Pellets, and 'Extract of Sarsaparilla' on the first day I began to improve, and in a short time I was able to do all my housework. If it had not been for your medicines I would have been dead long ago."

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ASSESSOR'S Notice to Taxpayers! ALSO POLL TAX NOTICE.

Oakland, March 7th, 1898. All Persons, Firms, Companies, Corporations and Associations are required to deliver at the Assessor's office, at the Court House, City of Oakland, County of Alameda, on or before March 21st, 1898, a statement under oath, of all the property, both real and personal, owned or claimed by him or them, or in their possession or held in trust for others, at 12 o'clock, meridian on the first Monday of March, 1898.

Every person who refuses or neglects to furnish the statement as provided for in Section 3529, Political Code, becomes liable to a fine of one hundred dollars and the value fixed by the Assessor on their property must not be reduced by the Board of Equalization.

All persons owning real estate that has been assessed in the wrong name or erroneously appeared on their tax bills, are requested to call at the Assessor's office or notify the Assessor by mail on or before March 21st, 1898, so that the proper corrections may be made on the assessment roll for the year 1898.

Assessment blanks may be obtained at the Assessor's office, Room 328, Court House, or from any Deputy Assessor.

Poll Tax Must Be Paid on Demand.

Notice is hereby given that the State Poll tax of two dollars for the year 1898 is now due and payable at my office, Room one, Court House, or to a Deputy Assessor, Sec. 3529 of the Political Code reads as follows:

Every male inhabitant of the State over twenty-one and under sixty years of age, except paupers, insane persons and Indians, must annually pay a Poll tax of two dollars, provided the same be paid between the first Monday in March and the first Monday in July.

When it shall be three dollars. Sec. 3546 of the Political Code makes it the duty of the Assessor to "demand Poll tax of every person liable therefor, and in the neglect or refusal of such person to pay, he may be compelled by seizure and sale of any personal property owned by such person."

Under Sections 429 to 435 every person who refuses to give his name or the name of any person in his employ, or who in any manner obstructs the Assessor or any of his deputies in the collection of the Poll tax, is liable to a fine of \$500 or imprisonment in the county jail, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Only those persons under twenty-one or over sixty years of age are exempt. Poll tax must be paid on demand.

HENRY P. DALTON, Assessor of Alameda County, Oakland, California.

D. R. WENTWORTH'S Winter Shoes. Get your winter shoes, light and heavy, at Wentworth's, 809 Delaware street.

A fine souvenir is "Berkeley," a choice collection of 40 pages of pictures, 50 cents a copy, at this office and the bookstores.

NOTICE TO VOTERS. REGISTRATION.

OFFICE OF THE COUNTY CLERK OF Alameda County, Cal.

Notice is hereby given that all citizens whose names are not now on the Great Register of Alameda County are requested to register in order to be entitled to vote at the next general election in November 1898.

What owing to failure of Legislature to provide assistance for Clerk, it is necessary to begin registration at an early date in order to satisfactorily attend to registration.

That voters who have since the date of the last general election taken up their residence in Alameda County, and those who since that date have removed from precinct in which their name appears on Great Register, must make affidavit in order to have their names placed on Register of precinct in which they now reside.

That it is NOT necessary for voters who registered at the general election of 1896 and whose names appear on the Great Register of 1896 to again make affidavit for registration UNLESS they have changed their PLACE OF RESIDENCE.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration will continue to and including August 31st, 1898, after which it will cease.

Attention is called to the provisions of Section 1083, which provides that those who shall have been a resident of the State one year next preceding the election, and of the county in which they claim their vote NINETY DAYS, and in the election precinct NINETY DAYS, are entitled to registration.

Further notice is hereby given that affidavit for registration or transfer may be sworn to before any Deputy County Clerk in the different towns and precincts of the county, or before any Deputy County Assessor, without charge.

Affidavits can also be sworn to before any Justice of the Peace or Notary Public. Notice is given that after the filing of affidavits for transfer for the purpose of TRANSFER, when names are entered on Great Register, postal cards will be sent giving date of entry. If postal card not received, voters should ascertain the reason why.

The office of the County Clerk in the Hall of Records will be, until further notice, open for registration from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. of each day. Dated April 4, 1898.

FRANK C. JORDAN, County Clerk.

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LETTERS—Answering advertisements in the GAZETTE, and uncalled for are addressed to J. L. R. A. B. and XX. Parties interested will please call and receive same.

BERKELEY IN BRIEF.

Dr. F. H. Payne is at Wavkejan, Ill.

F. K. Shattuck left today for Byron Springs to spend a week.

L. W. Potts has returned from a camping trip through Lake county.

Miss Bessie Valentine is visiting E. S. Hall and family of Dwight way.

C. N. Norgrove, a former resident of Berkeley, has returned from the east.

Mr. S. G. Crawford will leave Saturday for his old home in Bangor, Maine.

Miss Mattie Stitt is spending a week with Mrs. Arthur Edgar in Oakland.

Miss June Chappelle and her mother returned from a visit at Vallejo Monday.

Dr. Hill of Adeline street viewed the sights at Vallejo yesterday, returning today.

Sidney Elston has just returned from a bicycle trip to Yosemite. He reports a very pleasant trip.

Mr. M. E. De Witt, University of California, '91, was in town today. His home is in Tulare county.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ray and family are sojourning in the Santa Cruz mountains in a camping wagon.

Miss Estelle Chevallier of San Francisco is visiting Mrs. E. P. King of Dwight way and Telegraph avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hathaway left today for a month's stay at Catalina Island. Several friends accompanied them.

Joseph L. Wood has transformed his home on Ashby and Fulton avenues by the application of a neat coat of paint.

Hearts of Oak Club will picnic at Oak Grove Sunday, July 17, 1898. Busses will leave Sisterna Hall at 9, 9:30 and 10 a.m.

Rev. F. H. Robinson, pastor of the West Berkeley Presbyterian Church, goes to Newark this week to remain over Sunday.

Warren Cheney and his sons have returned from a week's tramp to Pescadero. They went by the way by La Honda and Redwood City.

G. S. Webb, son of George Webb who resides at the corner of Bancroft way and Fulton street, has been assigned to a position in the engine rooms on the Philadelphia.

Mrs. F. H. Robinson and daughter, Miss Helen, who has been ill for some time, will leave this week for Southern California to test the recuperative properties of its glorious climate.

Our job department is exceedingly busy, but can accommodate our citizens with neatly executed work at low prices, and all desiring our services will be given the benefit of a low rate and proficient work.

William Davis, the efficient plumber of West Berkeley, who laid with exactitude the sanitary equipments in the new Beacon fire house, has removed to San Pablo avenue, to the building formerly occupied by Mr. Underwood.

Douglas Brothers, the enterprising Ashby avenue grocers, have added an elegant external dress to their neat and attractive store, by the application of a new coat of paint with fine trimmings.

Mrs. R. S. Naylor returned this morning from Whittier, Southern California, where she was a delegate from the Friends' Church of Berkeley to the yearly conference of that church, which has just been in session at Whittier.

Miss Hortie Woody, of Whittier, California, arrived this morning in Berkeley, and is the guest of Dr. W. E. Truebloods, the physician in Bailey Block. Miss Woody will remain for some time among the attractions of Berkeley.

West Berkeleyans were in attendance at the depot yesterday at 3:30 p. m. to witness the second regiment en route from Minnesota pass

through there. The delegation consisted of nine coaches crowded with 1000 hungry and tired men.

Fred Holtum has suffered the loss of some street trees which have been destroyed, he believes, with malicious intentions. He offers a reward for the capture of the guilty party. Information should be sent to Stuart and Adeline streets.

Mr. A. H. Jessup, of Wm. Betts' Company, who has just spent two weeks in Los Angeles county, returned today. Mr. Jessup went with expectations of doing Southern California to a finish, which he did, and returns much recuperated after his outing in the salubrious southern climate.

Mr. R. Lee Douglas, favorably known to our citizens, returned last night, accompanied by his wife and children. Mr. Douglas is the vice-principal of the Red Bluff school, which place he has filled with marked ability. Mr. Douglas and family will remain in Berkeley during the summer vacation.

An Expression of Gratitude.

Soliciting Magazines for the Soldiers. Proves Satisfactory.

Mrs. F. V. Paget wishes to express through the columns of the GAZETTE her appreciation of the hearty co-operation of the citizens of Berkeley in securing for the soldiers books and magazines, by which the innumerable hours of solitude and loneliness may be occupied by good reading.

The donations, which have been received by personal canvass on the part of the lady mentioned, have been valuable and prompt. Over 9000 editions, including magazines and books, have been given, and among these are the best works of current fiction, history and scientific editions. One especially acceptable donation was a complete edition of the delightful works of Walter Scott, which were handsomely bound in board.

Mrs. F. V. Paget, in expressing her appreciation of the loyal support of Berkeleyans in this worthy enterprise, wishes to inform them that up to the present date, since within three weeks, she has forwarded to their destination twenty-four large boxes of books and magazines, which are the expression of Berkeley citizens as approving of the work undertaken by the lady in charge. Another item of interest is the shipment of twenty-one boxes in addition to the twenty-four just mentioned, this shipment being made at noon today.

These periodicals and books have found access to the wards of the hospitals, where lonely and solitary young men gladly welcome their visitation as a message of good tidings, and are recreative to tired minds.

Among innumerable personal effects the good magazines contributed by Berkeleyans are now upon their way to Manila, where their presence will be of great delight to the boys after that long and tedious voyage.

The citizens of Berkeley, in response to this announcement of gratitude for their co-operation, wish to express kindred feelings for the manner in which this department of Red Cross work has been executed under the supervision of Mr. Paget.

Patriotic Sermons.

Rev. D. J. Pierce will deliver a series of sermons on "Struggles for Religious Liberty and Their Bearings on the Present War," as follows:

June 26th—"Isabella and the Inquisition."

July 3d—"Charles V. and His Chances."

July 10th—"Philip II and the Papacy."

July 17th—"The Invincible Armada and Its Mission."

July 24th—"William of Orange and His Witness."

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WANTS AND SMALL ADS.

Wanted, Lost and Found, For Sale, Exchange, Rent, Personal, and like class, 5 cents per line one insertion, 10 cents per line one week. No ad for less than 15 cents. Professional Cards, Short Business Ads, Classified, not exceeding 4 inch, \$1.00 per month.

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EMPLOYERS OF HELP—We ask you to send your orders to Clerks' Exchange, 1018 Washington street, Oakland. Tel. 531 White.

COOKS, waitresses, chambermaids, girls for general housework, salesladies, bookkeepers, stenographers, nurse girls, second girls, 1018 Washington street; tel. white 931.

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WANTED—To buy a good Jersey fresh milk cow for cash. Must be cheap. Address: W. H. Bishop, Loria Post office, or call at 1537 Mason street, Loria.

PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, 470 Seventh street, three doors below depot, between Broadway and Washington streets, Oakland. Swedish, German and American help supplied at short notice. House renting and Collecting Agency, and Real Estate. Coachmen and Gardeners a specialty. Money to loan on short notice. Tel. 3985 Red. Auburn & Co. 10-17

WANTED—People who have valuables, papers, etc., for safe-keeping, or during their absence, to call at Commercial Bank and inquire about those Safe Deposit Vaults.

WANTED—Purchasers of residence property to examine a bargain in a property on Eighth street, Berkeley. House of 3 rooms, bath, and 50x120. Must be at a sacrifice. Call at counter, Gazette office.

WANTED—Position by middle aged lady to do cooking or housework. No children. 2003 Milvia street. 10-13

WANTED—Cub Room—a half dozen hens and one cockerell. Apply at 2000 Dwight way, Plymouth Rocks preferred.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN.

TUESDAY morning a 3 months old black and white puppy, brown in face. Finder please return to 237 Atherton street and receive reward.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One dozen pigeons, part carrier, for sale. Northeast cor. Euclid and Piedmont ave. 18-17

FOR SALE—Lot 50x130 on 6th st., near Bancroft way, 322—north of Channing way, near Posen station, West Berkeley. Price \$850. Good location. Enquire of Elise S. Bolstad, N. E. cor. 4th st. and Allison way, West Berkeley. 17-17

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AGENTS WANTED—Gen'l Fitzhugh Lee's own and only Book on Cuba and the Spanish American War. Tremendous demand. Prints \$15 to \$25 a day. Credit given. Freight paid. Write for terms and butt quick. A. B. Kuhlman & Co., Century Building, Chicago.

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HOUSES TO LET—One, 4 rooms, in flat, 1st floor, No. 80 Walnut street, One, 4 rooms, furnished, No. 212 Delaware street. Rents reasonable. Apply on premises.

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CLASSES IN GERMAN during vacation formed by K. Henrich, 2112 Parker street. Please call on or before Monday, 20th inst. Students of German classes of B. H. S. free of charge. 10-15

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